

ADDRESS TO GRADUATES TO HOLD MASS MEETING

Dr. M. D. Delaney's Remarks to the Graduating Nurses of the Alexandria Hospital Thursday Evening.

The Gazette takes pleasure in presenting herewith the address given by Dr. M. D. Delaney of this city to the nurses' graduating class of the Alexandria Hospital on Thursday evening, the copy for which could not be obtained in time for yesterday's issue:

The agreeable duty has fallen to me to present you, the graduating class of trained nurses of 1917, (Alexandria Hospital) with your diplomas, and to offer to you a few words of advice and encouragement in the beginning of this interesting era of your lives.

The vocation of a nurse is truly a noble one, which presents opportunities for a rich and varied experience.

It demands knowledge, patience, gentleness, decision and opens the way for a living tie with patients second only to that bond which binds a doctor to those that give themselves into his care.

The world with all its hollow show vanishes amidst the stern realities of the sick room. Here human nature must stand unmasked and in this field of actual facts, the trained nurse finds her realm of labor. Here too, manners must ever adorn knowledge to smooth its sometimes rugged way. A gentle word, an encouraging demeanor, may calm and cheer the breaking heart and strengthen a sister or a brother to endure without complaint, pains hard and difficult to bear. This aids the doctor's work.

If I were asked what I thought was the chief requisite to a nurse, I would say: patience; this of course in unison with other gifts already mentioned. It will be well to bear always in mind the seriousness of your profession, remembering that it is to administer intelligently to bodily sufferings; to cheer the convalescent to returning health; to console those appointed to die and illuminate the passage "through the dark valley" by the religion you profess. And now in saying "farewell" let me wish you each and all solid success in your chosen path in life, keeping alive the thought that it is your chosen path, and not one imposed by circumstance. The life of a nurse is its highest acceptance is a life of self renunciation; of consecration, where the world and worldly things should have no part and where every faculty of the mind and body should be freely and wholly given. To you who have thus obtained "a more excellent ministry" by the new covenant that you have just made, the future looms up full of gracious promise. "Forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forth unto those things which are before," you must press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling. May you each be a "burning and a shining light," reflecting credit on the Alexandria Hospital, your alma mater, whose beneficent work is growing with each rolling year and whose honorable standing is adding brighter luster to the broad benevolence of Julia Johns, its pious founder.

And here, before closing, it may not be inappropriate, as a member of the Alexandria Hospital staff, to tell of the great benefaction the new Alexandria Hospital promises to be. Regardless of nationality, the only claim to its kindly uses is that of suffering; a bond which none of Adam's race can possibly ignore. Truly it can be said that suffering "is a monarch on whose kingdom the sun never sets; the cradle and the grave are its frontiers; the entire human race its subjects." The Alexandria Hospital now grown to be a beautiful structure, adorns the principal residential street of this city. It is equipped with every modern appliance and will be conducted in the language of George Washington, upon "equal and exact justice to all men, of whatever state or persuasion, religious or political." Its executive and administrative departments are filled with able and enthusiastic workers, men and women; its corps of physicians and surgeons rank well with such bodies throughout the country; and in addition a very important addition, stands that body of citizens who furnish the "sinews

United Effort to be Made to Increase Sale of Liberty Bonds at Opera House Monday Night.

The fifteen-day campaign for the sale of Liberty bonds has been given the right of way over practically everything else in Alexandria. Those who have never thought of owning a government bond before are buying them today. Bills of various denominations, which look as though they had not seen the light of day in years, have been brought to some of the banks and deposited in exchange for Liberty bonds. Men and women who have never been known to attempt to sell such a thing as a bond are engaged in the effort to induce their neighbors and friends to purchase Liberty bonds. And it is a fine thing, the patriotic thing to do.

If you, Mr. or Mrs. Reader, have not bought one, make up your mind to do so, even if it is only one fifty dollar bond. Enlist in the army of bond buyers. Buy one Monday, if you cannot today. Your money will be safe and you will be doing a patriotic duty which you can be proud of later.

And do not forget the big mass meeting to be held Monday evening. Since the arrangements were made by the women's organizations of the city for a meeting Monday evening a message has been received from Mr. Lewis H. Machen of Richmond, announcing that all cities and towns throughout the state are requested by the State Council of Defense, to hold meetings on that evening. Consequently the meeting Monday evening has been merged into a State Council of Defense meeting, and will be presided over by Mr. Samuel G. Brent, commonwealth's attorney, as provided by the council. A prominent senator or representative will be the speaker and all organizations in the city, both men and women, are urged to attend. While the original plans of the meeting have been changed the object is the same, for the National Council of Defense, of which the state council is a branch, promotes the sale of the Liberty bonds as urgently, as it works for the military defense of the country. Therefore, it is hoped that the members of every organization in the city interested in the sale of the bonds will be present.

Insurance Agents Helping
The insurance agents of the Metropolitan Life company, under the supervision of Thomas E. Dyson and those of the Life Insurance company of Virginia, under Wm. D. Burkett, spent all day yesterday in the work and will continue until the end of the campaign. Their efforts have resulted in a large number of applications for the bonds.

of war, and who are deeply concerned in the welfare of this noble charity.

Specially here should be mentioned the generous gift of a site for the new hospital by one of our most respected townsmen. May he realize that "he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully." Furthermore this institution is under continuing obligations to the churches of Alexandria; to the City Fathers; to many benevolent organizations and to interested friends, whereby with-out reference to creed or color its coffers have been replenished and its spirit encouraged. The new hospital stands today an accomplished fact, a great Mercy wrought in stone. Altogether, we, the people of Alexandria may well be proud of our new hospital as we are already proud of our new high school and shall be increasingly proud of our rejuvenated city.

It would seem somewhat cold and unsympathetic, if at this unhappy juncture in our national affairs no word were spoken on that subject so near our hearts and so constantly in our thoughts. May the war cloud that now envelops our land roll back and leave us a happier and more united people. May the blessing of peace in due time descend upon us and may we all, men and women, do our duty, sternly, patriotically and courageously in that position in life in which it has pleased God to place us.

The Chamber of Commerce will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening.

Judge and Mrs. Charles E. Nicol and family have moved to their summer home at Manassas.

Master Herbert Wiley Sublett, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sublett, continues quite ill at his home, 428 north Fayette street.

Open air services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock on south Lee street, opposite the seven hundred square, under the auspices of the Laymen's league. John H. Trimyer will be the speaker.

The Rev. W. H. Van Ness, the pastor, will conduct the 11 a. m. services in the Free Methodist Church, South Lee street, tomorrow. At the evening service, 7:30 o'clock, the Rev. John Cavanaugh, a Confederate veteran, will occupy the pulpit.

The cafe a la Parisienne to be opened in the Young People's Building next Tuesday evening, has the distinction of a small admission fee and a correspondingly small charge for each item on the bill of fare. The "high cost of living" will be forgotten for the time.

The Alexandria Chapter of the Red Cross will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday morning at ten o'clock in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. Every member is requested to be present as business of importance to all will be brought up for consideration.

In the Second Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, the Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison will take for his subject "Permanent Liberty." The evening subject, at 8 o'clock, will be evangelistic. Sunday schools will be held at 9:30 a. m., in the Westminster Building and Payne street Chapel. The Christian Endeavor will meet at 7:15 p. m.

RESIGNS AS PRINCIPAL

Conrad Johnson Tenders His Resignation as Principal of Alexandria High School to Take Effect July 1st.

Professor Johnson has tendered his resignation as principal of Alexandria High School. The resignation is dated June 4th but was not given out for publication until today. Who his successor will be has not yet been made public. The resignation is as follows:

To the Chairman of the City School Board, (through the Superintendent of schools), Alexandria, Va.
Sir: I have the honor to submit my resignation as Principal of Alexandria High School, to take effect July 1, 1917, with the request that it be accepted. Due to the fact that I am a member of the National Guard of Virginia, which will be in service indefinitely, I feel that this action is necessary. I desire to thank you, and through you, each member of the Board, for their courtesy and kindness to me.

Very respectfully,
Conrad Johnson, Principal.
Alexandria, Va., June 4, 1917.

DOBIE DIVORCE CASE

Defendant, Answering Plea, Says She Wouldn't go to Theater.

William B. Dobie, employee of a paper store, whose wife, Grace T. Dobie, is suing him for a limited divorce and alimony, alleging among other things that for a year he didn't speak to her, and for more than two years never took her to any places of amusement, yesterday filed his answer, denying the charges.

Mr. Dobie declares that his wife was responsible for the "silent" year. They had a misunderstanding in 1914, he adds, with the result that she vowed she would never go anywhere with him. He says he often invited her to the theater, but she refused. The parties in the case are former Alexandrians.

Watch for the circus on the High School grounds Saturday, June 23, from 3 to 8 o'clock. One ring, side shows, ice cream cones, pink lemonade and all the requisite attractions for a first class show. Benefit of the Boy Scout rooms.

Have you bought that Liberty Bond?

Mrs. William Gibson Pendleton, of Warrenton, is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. Cooper Dawson, at their home on Seminary Hill.

The ladies auxiliary to the Old Dominion Boat Club will give another of the delightful subscription dances Saturday evening, June 16th, in the boat club house.

Professor Willoughby Reade, of the Episcopal High School, and daughter, Miss Stella Reade and Miss Evelyn Reade, left Friday for their summer home at Abingdon.

Martha Washington Chapter No. 42, Order of the Eastern Star, urged all of its members to attend the meeting to be held in the Opera House Monday night in the interest of the sale of Liberty Bonds.

Children's day services will be held at the Trinity M. E. Church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Parents having children to be baptized are requested to present them at that service. The subject of the sermon by the pastor at the evening meeting will be "The Intolerance of Jesus."

Mrs. M. L. Tarrier and Miss Elizabeth Tarrier of Harrisburg, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vance, at their home in north Royal street. Mr. W. C. Vance has returned to his home at Weyer's Cave, Virginia, after visiting his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vance, for the Confederate re-union.

"Satan's Submarines," will be the subject of the Rev. R. W. White at the Methodist Protestant Church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school will be held at 9:30 in the morning, the Christian Endeavor Society will meet at 7:30 p. m., and children's day services at 8 o'clock in the evening. A special invitation is extended to soldiers to attend all of the services.

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY

Closing Exercises of the Grammar Grades Held Yesterday Afternoon—Demonstration of Red Cross Work.

At the closing exercises of the grammar grades of St. Mary's, on the campus of the Academy, yesterday afternoon the members of the "First Aid" class gave a splendid demonstration of its work. Fourteen or fifteen young ladies, mostly resident pupils of the Academy, formed a Red Cross First Aid Class, last autumn. Dr. Gorman has had the class in charge, and the public demonstration yesterday proved that he had done good work. Dr. Klipstein held an examination of the class recently and the successful members will be presented with Red Cross diplomas at the graduating exercises on Tuesday next.

Before the program yesterday the following awards were made: Class Honors in correct deportment, Eighth grade: Rosella Burke, Rosa Morton, Sixth and fifth grades: Laura Nugent, Margaret Schoeni, Catherine Murphy. Highest average in studies, eighth grade: Kathleen Quinn and Rosella Burke. Seventh grade: Catherine Grace and Josephine Ramage. Sixth grade: Dorothy Grace. Fifth grade: Teresa Boyd. Fourth grade: Dorothy Harrington. Third grade: Anna Mess. Perfect attendance, sixth grade: Margaret Schoeni. Absent less than ten days: Eighth and seventh grades: Kathleen Quinn, Rosella Burke, Mary Dugan, Rosa Morton, Florence Hooper, Agnes Murphy, Josephine Ramage, Margaret Nugent, Margaret Shuman, Irene Kelly, Margaret Armstrong, Catherine Grace, Anna Flynn. Sixth and fifth grades: Mae MacWilliams, Laura Nugent, Katie Schoeni, Catherine Murphy, Ethel Collins, Dorothy Grace, Elouise Monroe, Catherine Fairfax, Cornelia Nugent. Fourth and third grades: Dorothy Ewald, Dorothy Harrington, Maryanna Mason, Josephine Gilroy, Ruth MacWilliams, Mary Tregar, Mary Aitchison, Anna Moss, Elsie Jacobs, Second and first grades: Agnes Kelly, Richard Carne, E. Bayles, A. Donnelly, W. Zimmerman.

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DEVILED CRABS

Little neck clams and clam chowder at Rammel's Cafe. Fish, Clams, Oysters, Crabs, at Phone 3073. J. BRILL No. 2 King St.

The ladies of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church will meet at the residence of Mrs. L. W. Reid, 504 Duke street, Monday evening, June 18th, at 7:30 o'clock. A large attendance is requested.

Among the visitors from Washington who attended the vocal recital given by Miss Ethel Nugent, at St. Mary's Academy Thursday evening was Mr. W. T. Pierson, the composer of the patriotic song "Sons of America."

Mr. Albert Stuart Bolling and his father, Mr. Bartlett Bolling, of Charlottesville, who have been in attendance at the Confederate reunion in Washington, are guests of Mr. Douglas Stuart, 719 King street. Mr. Bartlett Bolling was a member of Mosby's famous command.

The regular grand jury term of the corporation court, Judge Louis C. Barley, presiding, will be convened on Monday next at 11 o'clock a. m. It is expected that seven important cases will be brought up for consideration. The following named gentlemen have been drawn to act as jurors: P. F. Gorman, Leopold Ruben, Harry Aitchison, Samuel L. Monroe, Samuel Bendheim, George J. Robinson, G. H. Schwarzmann, Richard E. Acton, Lewis M. Adams, Clinton S. Ballenger, D. Milton French and William H. Sweeney.

Potomac Lodge of Odd Fellows elected the following named officers last night who will take office on the first of July and serve for the ensuing six months: W. Clifton Cunningham, noble grand; Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, vice grand; N. L. Williamson, recording secretary; W. E. Latham, Sr., financial secretary; George W. Bontz, treasurer. The first degree was conferred upon two candidates and the lodge also had the pleasure of entertaining W. Ross Southward, grand master of the state.

DRAFT TO BEGIN JUNE 18

Conscripted Persons Must Appear Immediately for Physical Examination.

(With reports on registration still coming in from the various States, the War Department yesterday turned its attention to the question of exemptions.)

It was learned that the following routine had been determined upon: 1. Drafting will begin about June 18. Names will be chosen by the jury wheel system by local officials for each 30,000 of population.

2. All men whose names are drawn will be instructed to appear for physical examination before an official medical board.

3. If found physically fit, the man will then be given an opportunity, if desired, to present his claim for exemption. If such claim is denied by the board in the first instance, he will have the privilege of appealing to the Board of Review, one of which will be established in each Federal judicial district. Here decision will be final, aside from a possible appeal to the President.

POLICE COURT NOTES

Several Parties Charged With Misdemeanors Before the Bar This Morning.

The first case before the Police Court this morning was that of Charles Beach. He was charged with practicing as a veterinary surgeon without having previously paid his license tax. The accused declared that he made no charges for his services. Justice Caton, however, held that he was responsible for the license and ordered him to pay for the same.

Thomas Padgett and James Bradley were charged with being drunk. They were fined \$5 each. James Rose charged with a similar offense, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

William Maupin had been arrested on the charge of assaulting Claude W. Fletcher at a garage on south Alfred street. Fletcher's nose had been broken and Doctor Powell had been called upon for surgical aid. Maupin was fined \$25.

Deviled Crabs, little neck clams and clam chowder at Rammel's Cafe. Fish, Clams, Oysters, Crabs, at Phone 3073. J. BRILL No. 2 King St.

EARLY SUMMER MARKET MANY CLAIM EXEMPTION

Fine Display of Fruits and Vegetables With a Decided Tendency to Lower Prices.

There was an increased attendance upon the part of country people in market this morning, and more buyers were present than usual. The benches were filled with seasonable produce, most of which was offered at lower prices than formerly.

Butter brought 45 cents a pound and eggs 45 cents per dozen.

There was a fine display of strawberries, the best bringing 25 cents for two boxes. Most of this fruit, however, sold at 10 cents per box, and later in the day these prices could not be maintained.

Cherries have made their appearance. Two boxes were being sold for 25 cents.

Honey was also in evidence. It brought 18 cents a pound. Last year it sold at 15 cents. In stores, however, it brought 20 to 25 cents.

Prices of most vegetables showed a decline. Green peas sold at 10 cents per quart of a peck; onions two bunches for 5 cents; cabbage 5 cents per pound; kale 8 cents per quart peck; radishes two bunches for 5 cents; turnips 4 cents per bunch; lettuce two heads for 5 cents.

There was an abundance of flowers.

EUSTIS AND CLARK DISMISSED

Discharge of Engineers Results, Goethals Declares, Because Their Usefulness is at End.

Charges by F. A. Eustis, assistant general manager of the government's Emergency Fleet Corporation, and F. Huntington Clark, his assistant, that Major General Goethals is deliberately blocking the wooden shipbuilding program resulted yesterday in the dismissal of both as volunteer employees of the corporation.

General Goethals, general manager of the corporation, in a memorandum to Chairman Denman, of the Shipping Board, announced that he was discharging the engineers who conceived the wooden shipbuilding plan because their usefulness was at an end.

Mr. Clark went out of government service yesterday, but the status of Mr. Eustis, who, in addition to his connection with the fleet corporation, is a special agent of the Shipping Board, is in doubt. Members of the board said he had not been asked to leave the board's employ.

DEFY REGISTRATION MEN

Virginians Open Guerrilla Warfare, Firing on National Guardsmen.

Roanoke, Va., June 9.—The mountaineers of this section are up in arms against the carrying out of the selective draft system, and desultory guerrilla warfare has developed.

For the past two nights the mountaineers have been firing from ambush at the National Guardsmen and agents of the Department of Justice who were sent into this district after a plot to resist conscription was disclosed.

Petersburg has been selected as a site for an army camp.

FIVE THOUSAND VOTES

Patrons of the Kramer Floral Company Offered Extra Inducements.

The Pony Contest, in which a handsome Shetland Pony, harness and cart is to be given away, will close on June 11th. In order to make it an object for their patrons, the Kramer Floral Company will give to each one who purchases a five dollar card and pays for it in advance, five thousand votes in addition to the regular five hundred votes which the card calls for.

Get busy and you can get the pony. For the five dollars you pay in advance you can have credit and buy flowers at any time in the future until the five dollars has been used up.

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Dr. W. E. Dienelt, optician, announces the removal of his office to 605 Prince street, opposite postoffice, next door to Dr. Geo. Klipstein. Phone 137-61.

Virginia Registration Cards Show Large Majority Assert Reasons for Being Omitted.

Seven out of every ten men in Virginia enrolled under the selective draft act feel that they can be of more service to their country at home. At least figures compiled in the office of Governor Henry C. Stuart show that only 30 per cent of those registered on Tuesday did not claim exemptions.

That the claim of exemption is so heavy will react on many persons, as it will cause a particularly strict investigation when individual cases come up for consideration when the drafts are made. Unless a man can show that those who are claimed as dependents are solely dependent upon him, he stands little chance of being excused from military service. This includes young married men without children. The claim of exemption on the grounds that the registrant is supporting his father or mother is going to be taken with more than a grain of salt.

There will be no class exemptions, the officials taking up each case as it occurs. That there will be prosecutions for false registration in event that it is proved that registrants have not told the truth in claiming exemption, has been indicated. Wealthy men claiming exemption as farmers or students claiming to be the sole support of parents will learn that Uncle Sam does not appreciate even little jokes.

A dispatch from Richmond says the total registration for Virginia is not yet determined, as nine counties and two cities have not reported yet. Richmond and Alexandria are the cities that are so far behind the schedule.

(The official figures for Alexandria were printed in yesterday's Gazette. They show that 1,370 men registered in this city on Tuesday. Of this number 989 were white, 386 colored and 25 aliens.)

The counties not reporting are scattered throughout the State.

Virginia is running behind the estimate made by the War Department, due primarily to the huge mistake in regard to the number of men of military age in Prince George County, including Hopewell. The War Department was more than 20,000 out of the way in its estimate, unless the men just failed to obey the law. This is not considered probable by State officials, however, as Clerk Temple, of Prince George County, sat for ten days within the big Du Pont plant to sign the registration cards of nonresidents.

The total registration at 6 o'clock last night was 150,914. The number estimated previously by the War Department from the counties and cities reported, 174,700. Shortage from the War Department estimate is about 23,800.

Richmond, June 9.—Only Richmond, of all the cities and counties of Virginia, has failed to report on the registration last Tuesday for the army draft. Official figures from Richmond will be presented today, it is expected, and a full report will be made before night to the War Department.

The table of those who registered was complete yesterday morning, with the exception of figures from two cities and nine counties. The other delinquent city, Alexandria, reported yesterday, as did all of the counties. Richmond, had an unexpectedly large registration, and the task of counting and classifying the thousands of young men who turned in their names was more tedious than had been anticipated.

Robert's Chapel

Robert's Chapel—Corner S. Washington and Gibson street. Rev. J. W. Jackson, A. M., D. D., pastor. 9:30 a. m. Sunday school, Chas. Robinson superintendent.

11:00 a. m. Preaching by pastor theme: "Persecution." 8:00, Evening. Preaching by pastor—text: "Thou Shalt Not Steal." This is the next sermon in the series on the Ten Commandments.

A cordial invitation awaits every one who desires to worship with us. Promptness at the services shall be much appreciated.

Maryland spring chickens at Rammel's cafe.



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GERMAN FEROCITY

Many horrible instances of unnecessary cruelty on the part of victorious armies are recorded in the history of the past, but it will be difficult to find any acts among so-called civilized nations which exceed the means employed by the Germans in territory they have seized during the present war. They seem to be resorting to everything conceivable to make this a war of frightfulness. Their hatred of England and France because those two countries dare to defend themselves verges on insanity, and the fact that the United States is about to embark with the allies in an effort to rid the world of Kaiserism will cause his minions to be equally ferocious toward us. This is the nation with which we have to deal, notwithstanding its pretensions to Kultur.

German hatred against the British grows daily and recalls the recent speech of the kaiser during his visit to Douaia and Cambrai, when he said: "You must be pitiless to the odious nation that is responsible for all our evils. Never again shall we have relations with such a people." The jailers observe to the letter the teachings of the imperial bandit. British prisoners are forced to work under the fire of guns for the slightest peccadillo are bound to a stake and deprived of food for whole days. A repatriated French Ambulance worker says he buried with his own hands at the Mecklenburg camp 32 British who died of ill treatment and hunger, 5 succumbing at the stake. Such victims often are left without sepulture. He also cites a case where a surgeon excused a British prisoner from work, but the feldwebel notwithstanding, ordered him to the work. The prisoner, on refusing, was tied to a stake and died during the night. Disease is rampant among the British prisoners, and the Germans do not try to alleviate their misery.

"We are not making war solely against the French army and French territory but against Frenchmen generally, young women, children, and everything that belongs to the French blood and race." This is what the German commanding officer in Noyon told Senator Noel, mayor of Noyon, before the Germans sacked the town. Shortly before the destruction began, the commander summoned Noel and demanded that he name specific instances of senseless atrocities and vandalism committed by the Kaiser's troops. Noel put in fifteen minutes—the time allowed—naming instance after instance with full details. The crimes charged included rape, burglary, assault, arson, and murder. After having listened, the commander excused such conduct by saying that his countrymen were warring against "French blood and race." One of the instances cited was the case of little Andre Labot, a child who was beaten with a cane for failing to salute an officer, then forced to salute a dummy draped with a German uniform until he fell exhausted, and finally bayoneted and killed.

FRIGHTFULNESS OF MODERN WAR.

All the correspondents at the front, in their descriptions of the Messines battle, feature the tremendous explosion of mines which preceded the British advance. "The earth opened and the German line disappeared," is one terse description. Large numbers of Teuton dead were subsequently found in the trenches.

Every writer likens the effect on the surrounding terrain to an earthquake. One says that the hill on which he stood shook like jelly. Another, who says the explosive used was aminol, writes:

"We saw what might have been the doors thrown open in front of a number of colossal blast furnaces. They appeared in pairs, in threes and successive singles and with

each blast the earth shook and shivered beneath our feet. It is worse than an earthquake," said someone who had known one of the worst earthquakes. "Thunderclouds of smoke rose in solid form to immense heights from Hill 60, from Wytschaete Wood and other places, and, while our eyes were full of the spectacle, a thousand guns opened fire. The air shook as the earth shook and where earth and air met incredible explosions seemed to rend the world until we appeared part of some cosmic revolution.

"We saw familiar landscapes already plowed and harrowed by the war, vanish or assume grotesque shapes. Hill 60 went up in fine dust." The correspondents agree in anticipating desperate counter-attacks. They say the Germans are massing vast forces and intimate that the battle has only begun.

WOULD BE JOSHUA.

On the occasion of a demonstration of new defensive methods on the western front, says a dispatch from Berlin, Emperor William delivered a speech to the Brandenburg troops, in which he said: "The enemy is seeking a decision. We await it calmly, placing our trust in God, who heretofore has graciously protected and aided us. Our enemy will be compelled to sacrifice men until he is exhausted and lays down his arms. 'You must hasten his exhaustion. When this is accomplished you will have won for the German people the position which they are entitled to occupy. Peace will be dictated through you.'"

The Kaiser is still obsessed with the notion that he is an instrument of the deity, and is uttering the same fallacy to his dupes as when he was overrunning Belgium and northern France in 1914. Operations on the western front this week, however, will cause many a German soldier to question the assertion of their ruler to the effect that he is an instrument of high heaven.

ONE OF MANY OCCURRENCES.

Minnie Paul, 9 years old, was killed in Baltimore yesterday afternoon when she was struck by an automobile driven by Edward A. Coughlin. Coughlin was arrested charged with causing the child's death. He was also charged with driving the car without having his certificate of registration and also with failure to have his operator's card.

The above is but one of many similar occurrences in the large cities almost daily. Fortunately we have, so far, had but few to record in this city since the advent of the automobile, although many who operate these modern vehicles are not believed to be as careful or proficient as they should be. There is a disposition upon the part of some to run their autos at a dangerous speed through the streets of the city. This is often noticed among joyriders late in the evening. The law provides a fine of ten dollars from those who may be brought before the Police Court for using excessive speed within the city limits. There is also a penalty for reckless driving. These laws, however, seem to have but little effect upon those for whom they are intended.

WILL HAVE A WALKOVER.

As has heretofore been stated in the Gazette, none of the present city or state officers in Alexandria will have opposition in the Democratic primary which will be held August 7. The time limit for candidates to file notice expired at midnight Thursday night and only the incumbents filed notice. The city Democratic committee will shortly hold a meeting for the purpose of declaring the incumbents the party nominees.

Apart from races for the Mayoralty and at times spirited competition for seats in Council, there has been but little disposition upon the part of suffragans to make changes in city offices. Those occupying these positions have been succeeding themselves for years, the community they serve being fully satisfied with their stewardship.

IRISH TROOPS WIN THE DAY

Irish troops won the day for Great Britain in the Wytschaete battlefield Thursday. Men from the south of the Green Isle stormed forth side by side with Ulsterites. To them is credited the victory that resulted in the crushing in of the silent below Ypres.

The above shows another miscarriage of the Kaiser's plans. He had been assured by his agents and spies that England could not come to the

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rescue of France on account of the Irish question, which was likely to tax her resources. He was also told that the Irish would not fight for Great Britain. But Ulsterites and dwellers in the south of the Emerald Isle, laying aside their disputes, are found fighting side by side for England, and to them is given the credit of winning Thursday's glorious victory over the Teutons.

TWO KILLED BY TORNADO.

Another Missing and Many Persons Hurt in Oklahoma.
Oklahoma City, Okla., June 9.—Two men were killed, another is missing, scores were injured and incalculable property and crop damage was done by violent tornadoes, which swept over parts of Oklahoma Thursday night. Wires are down and definite information is lacking. The two men were killed in Muskogee county where the storm demolished a number of buildings and oil derricks.

Council Hill, southwest of Muskogee, was razed by the tornado. At Eram, a village of 200 inhabitants in Okmulgee county, every building save the school house was demolished. Hundreds of oil derricks were blown down in the oil fields and many oil tanks set fire by lightning.

But for the fact that the storm was expected and hundreds had fled to their cellars, many more lives would have been lost.

FIND NAVAL OFFICER SLAIN.

Shot to Death in Hotel and Case is Mystery Surrounding.

Seattle, June 9.—Lieutenant Kenneth Heron, U. S. N., superintendent of new work at the Puget Sound Navy Yard at Bremerton was found dead in bed from a gunshot wound Thursday night in a Bremerton hotel. A Naval Board will investigate the death to determine whether the wound was self-inflicted.

Lieutenant Heron had been at the navy yard since February, having been transferred from Seattle, where he was inspector of machinery in the work at the Seattle Construction & Drydock Company's plant. He was a native of California, 34 years old and single. Prior to coming to Seattle he was assigned to the Fall River Shipbuilding Works.

TORNADO SWEEPS RALEIGH

Wind Attains Velocity of Fifty-Seven Miles an Hour—Slight Damage Done.

Raleigh, N. C., June 9.—With the wind sustaining the rate of fifty-seven miles an hour for five minutes, the highest velocity recorded by the local weather bureau, a small tornado swept over Raleigh and Wake County yesterday afternoon, uprooting trees, smashing outhouses in the county, snapping telephone poles and breaking out window glasses in the city. A new brick garage in process of construction was hurled to the ground here. Numerous reports of slight damages done have been coming in from surrounding country.

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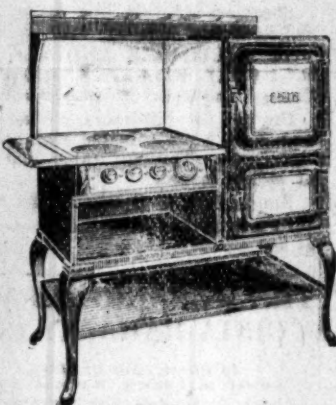
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DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

List of Candidates for State Offices.
Is Now Fixed and Race Starts—
Two Have No Opposition.

By a provision of the State law, the list of candidates for State offices, subject to the Democratic primary on August 7, was completed yesterday when Auditor C. Lee Moore, to whom the statute requires the payment of an entrance fee, closed the doors of his office behind him and called it a day.

Between the men who had met before that time the requirements for entrance into the campaign for Democratic campaign to the various offices in the State government the Democrats of Virginia will on August 7 be called to choose. The door has now been closed to prospective candidates.

No eleventh-hour entries will be in evidence.

Two candidates for the Democratic nomination have no opposition within the party—George W. Koener, who is out for re-election to the office of Commissioner of Agriculture and Immigration, and Charles A. Johnston, of Montgomery County, who aspires to the office of State Treasurer. These two men will be declared by the State Democratic Committee to be the nominees of the party, which is tantamount to election.

The complete State ticket, with candidates for the House of Delegates from Richmond, is as follows: For Governor—J. Taylor Ellyson, of Richmond; John Garland Pollard, Richmond, and Westmoreland Davis Loudoun County.

For Lieutenant-Governor—B. Frank Buchanan, Marion, and Martin Williams, Giles County.

For Attorney-General—Hugh A. White, Rockbridge County, and John R. Saunders, Middlesex.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction—R. C. Stearnes, Roanoke County, and Harris Hart, Roanoke city.

For Secretary of the Commonwealth—B. O. James, Richmond, and Colonel Phil F. Brown, Botetourt County.

For Treasurer—Charles A. Johnston, Montgomery County.

For Commissioner of Agriculture and Immigration—George W. Koener, Richmond.

For House of Delegates—James H. Price, James P. Jones, Edward R. Fuller, William M. Myers, Alfred O. Boschen, Richard W. Carrington, Howard T. Colvin and Hugh Stockdell.

MEMORIAL TO GENERAL LEE.

Beautiful Statue Unveiled on Gettysburg Battlefield Yesterday.

In the presence of many Confederate veterans, who came from their annual reunion at Washington, and many Grand Army veterans, a memorial, surmounted by a statue of Gen. Robert E. Lee, was unveiled on Gettysburg battlefield yesterday. This memorial statue, the first of a Southern commander to stand on the battlefield of Gettysburg, was unveiled by his granddaughter, Miss Anna Carter Lee. It is a gift of the State of Virginia to the nation. Gov. Henry C. Stuart of Virginia delivered the address turning over the monument to the United States government, and it was accepted on behalf of the government by the Assistant Secretary of War, William M. Ingraham.

The monument, which is of heroic size, and cost \$50,000, is surmounted by a statue of Gen. Robert E. Lee mounted on Traveler, his famous war horse. About the base there is a group

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of seven figures representing all arms of the Confederate service. There are two boys, one a bugler of artillery and the other a cavalry color bearer carrying the state flag of Virginia. One figure represents a farmer fighting side by side with one whose expression and bearing mark him as a prosperous business man. Beside an artilleryman with long hair, aquiline features and negligence appearance, stands a stalwart mechanic, his musket firmly gripped to repel an attack. On the mechanic's right stands a man erect biting off the end of a cartridge, suggesting a type found among the professions, perhaps a doctor. Scattered about the ground are a shattered cannon, a broken wheel, a discarded knapsack, a hat, a swab and an exploded shell, indicating that the spot had been the scene of some desperate engagement.

P. William Sievers of Richmond is the sculptor who designed the monument. It was his aim to produce a military memorial which would differ from the conventional figures of soldiers grouped about a pedestal.

SLAIN BY SLIPPER

Bride of Year is Held Following Death of Baltimore Man.

Baltimore, June 9.—After following a number of clues the police believe they have solved the mysterious "slipper murder" case. Mrs. Cecelia Welsh, 20 years old, of North Gilmor street a bride of one year, has been arrested.

In addition, the police have learned that the death of Howard W. Sparrow, 35 years old, of 1318 North Fremont avenue, who died at the Union Protestant Infirmary yesterday as the result of being struck on the head with a "purple slipper," was due to mistaken identity. The blow, it is alleged, was intended for the husband of the accused woman, Graham Welsh, 24 years old, the same address.

According to the police here is the solution of the "murder" mystery. Two weeks ago Sparrow went to call upon Mrs. Welsh. While seated in the parlor he was struck on the head with a "purple slipper."

Immediately after he was struck, it is reported, Mrs. Welsh entered the room.

"Oh! I beg your pardon," she is alleged to have said, "I thought it was my husband."

The matter was forgotten until five days ago, when Sparrow developed an infection of the scalp. It is thought a steel plate in the heel of the shoe caused this trouble.

Yesterday Sparrow died, and Mrs. Welsh was arrested. This morning she was given a hearing before Justice Brendel in the northwestern police court. She declined to make any statement, and was held for the action of Coroner Wiltshire.

TRUE TO CAUSE

Russian Peasants' Congress Calls on Army to Submit to Discipline and Defend People From Fees.

Petrograd, June 9.—The Congress of Peasants in session here adopted a resolution yesterday calling upon the army to submit itself to discipline and defend revolutionary Russia. It affirmed the duty of those it represents to defend the country energetically and make every sacrifice to sustain the fighting strength of the army. The congress "grants its benediction to this war and will not forget the blood which has been shed," are the closing words of the resolution.

Minister of War Kerensky has ordered that the resolution be read to all ranks of the army and the navy.

SOME GOOD ADVICE

Strengthened by Alexandria Experiences.

Kidney disease is too dangerous to neglect. At the first sign of backache, headache, dizziness or bladder disorders, you should give the weakened kidneys prompt attention. Eat little meat, take things easier and use a reliable kidney tonic. There's no other kidney medicine so well recommended as Doan's Kidney Pills. Alexandria people rely on them. Here's one of the many statements from Alexandria people.

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VERGINIA NEWS

John L. Litz, former member of the Virginia Legislature from Wise county, and who was arrested Monday by members of the Second Virginia Regiment on a charge of using abusive language against the President and the flag, was given a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner Taylor at Norton yesterday and the charge against him dismissed. The Commissioner held that the evidence did not support the charge.

Alleging that the Luckenbach Steamship Company and the Luckenbach Company had failed to carry out contracts for the transportation of 75,000 tons of nitrates from South America, W. R. Grace and Company of New York, brought suit Thursday in the United States District Court in Norfolk for \$1,500,000 damages. The steamer Florence Luckenbach was attached.

One hundred and fifty-three quarts of whisky were seized at Harrisonburg Thursday by Sheriff Crous. The liquor was brought from Hagerstown in an automobile and was bound for some point in the southern part of the valley. J. Brown Hicks, of Stuart's Draft, Augusta county, and Brownie Irwin, a former Virginia League ball player, now clerk at Beverley Hotel, Staunton, are charged with violating the Prohibition law and were released on bail of \$250 each for a hearing next Monday.

Secretary Daniels expressed great disappointment yesterday at the action of the House in killing provision for the acquisition of the Jamestown exposition grounds and Sewells Point adjoining on Hampton Roads, as the site for a great rendezvous base for the Atlantic fleet. "It is a serious situation," Mr. Daniels said. "I hardly know what to do about it. We have a fleet population now of nearly 30,000 men and there is not one foot of government land where they can put their feet. A great base on Hampton Roads is an absolute necessity, and it is vital that the quickest preparation be made for adequate quarters for the men we are taking into the navy."

William A. Cavanaugh, 19 years of age, who was assaulted with an iron bar near Foneswood, Westmoreland County, on May 31, died yesterday morning at Casualty Hospital in Washington. The death of young Cavanaugh grew out of an affair between Cavanaugh and Horace Peed, alleged assailant of Cavanaugh, both of whom, it is said, were in love with the same girl, a Miss Myrtle Carpenter.

The trial of P. H. Wells, city treasurer of Hopewell, charged with violating the prohibition law in having in his possession an illegal quantity

of liquor and beer, was begun in the Corporation Court at Hopewell, Thursday and concluded yesterday with a verdict of \$500 fine and six months' imprisonment. He took an appeal. The liquor and beer were found stored in a house owned by

Wells, but it was claimed by him to have been rented to another party and that he had no knowledge of or interest in the stock. Wells was a former well known citizen and merchant of Petersburg. The court refused to grant a new trial.

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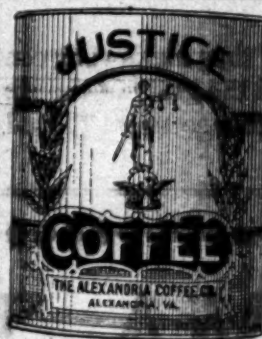
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THOUSANDS OF LIVES LOST

Country Surrounding San Salvador
Lighted for Miles by Volcanos

San Juan Del Sur, June 9.—Thousands of lives were lost in the destruction by earthquake of the city of San Salvador and several other towns in Salvador, it was feared late yesterday from meager advices received here.

The country surrounding the volcano was lighted up for miles by the flames and molten lava.

The towns of Santa Tecla, Quezaltenango, Nejapa, Suchichoto, Paisanal, Armonio and Mejicanos also were destroyed, advices from Tegucigalpa, Honduras, say.

San Salvador has been rendered

untenable by earthquake and volcanic eruption, according to a message received by the State Department from Mr. Long, Minister to the ill-fated city.

SLAIN AND BURNED

Father, Mother and Daughter Killed
With Axe—House Set Fire.

Flemington, N. J., June 9.—Gruesome evidences of a brutal triple murder were discovered early yesterday by residents living on the outskirts of this community when the charred bodies of William H. Queen, well-known farmer, his wife and their grown daughter were taken from the ruins of their home, which had been destroyed by fire.

Neighbors were attracted to the

Queen homestead by a glare of light against the sky, but when help arrived it was too late to save the family. The condition of the bodies when recovered proved to local authorities that the family had been murdered, and the home subsequently set on fire and destroyed.

No reason is known for the murder, the Queens enjoying a wide acquaintance and having no known enemies.

Examination of the scene indicated the murderer set fire to the house and out buildings and then, when Queen and his wife went to investigate, shot them and attacked them with an axe.

Their bodies were found riddled by loads from a shot gun and choked by the murderer to make sure they were dead. The body of the daughter, clad only in a night gown, was found near the door.

The daughter was a teacher in the Riegelsville public school.

NATURE IS FREAKISH

Tornado's Strange Behavior With
Folks and Beasts Alike.

The tornado's visit to Mattoon, Illinois, offered many instances of "tornado freaks."

Mrs. Mary P. Kemper heard the roar of the approaching whirlwind and stepped to the door to see what it was. Her two children cowered against her in terror. The next moment her home was lifted from over her, while she and the children were left unharmed on the floor.

A horse and a cow were grazing in Joseph Abel's yard. The storm picked them up and carried them a quarter of a mile out on the prairie, where they were set down easily and resumed their grazing. Abel's home was picked up from about him, leaving him unhurt, while a baby was carried into the orchard, where she was found unhurt.

As D. S. May, his wife and three children knelt in prayer their house fell about them. They were unharmed.

Mrs. J. N. Sexton was watching the storm when her brick house fell about her, burying her in bricks up to her neck. She received only a few slight scratches.

When J. L. Folwell saw the storm coming he ran out to the street, caught up his two small sons and strated for the house with them. The storm picked them up, carried them about 25 feet in the air and then set them easily upon the porch, a moment later returning to pick them up

again and as gently to carry them back to the street while the house fell in ruins. None was injured.

GERMANS THROWN BACK

Lose More Than 6,400 Prisoners With
Many Killed and Wounded.

With the Messines-Wytschate ridge in their possession, the British yesterday organized the new ground and prepared for probable further action, while throwing back German counter attacks.

Surprised by the terrific onslaught of Sir Douglas Haig's men Thursday, the Germans who lost more than 6,400 prisoners and many more killed or wounded as a result of the mine explosions and the British artillery fire, made no immediate counter attack. Waiting until yesterday, Crown Prince Rupprecht then threw his men forward against the new British positions northwest of Costevorne and east of Messines. Every effort was repulsed by the British infantry or artillery fire.

All the prisoners taken by the British have not yet been counted, according to the latest official communication, but included in their number are 132 officers, many of them belonging to the artillery arm.

GLAD TO TESTIFY

Says Watoga Lady, "As To What
Cardui Has Done For Me, So
As To Help Others."

Watoga, W. Va.—Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly. Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had terrible headache, backache, and bearing-down pains, and would just drag and had no appetite. Then... it would last two weeks, and was so weakening, and my health was awful.

My mother bought me a bottle of Cardui, and I began to improve after taking the first bottle, so kept it up till I took three. I gained, and was well and strong, and I owe it all to Cardui.

I am married now and have 3 children. Have never had to have a doctor for female trouble, and just resort to Cardui if I need a tonic. I am glad to testify to what it has done for me, so as to help others."

If you are nervous or weak, have headaches, backaches, or any of the other ailments so common to women, why not give Cardui a trial? Recommended by many physicians. In use over 40 years. Begin taking Cardui today. It may be the very medicine you need.

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The British also have collected more than 20 guns. The success of the British attack is admitted by the Berlin war office, which says that the troops of the Bavarian crown prince were withdrawn to prepared positions to the rear of the original line.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Barbers of Cleveland, Ohio, have raised the price of the hair cut to 50 cents.

The army as well as the navy is to be bone dry. This was the decision handed down last night by Attorney General Gregory in response to a question from Secretary of the Navy Daniels.

The Haitian Minister to Germany has been handed his passports, according to advices from Berlin. Haiti recently sent a note to Germany protesting against the submarine war, setting forth grievances and demanding guarantees for the future.

Two hundred girl students of the Petrograd Technical Institute have entered their names on the rolls of a female regiment which is being raised by Lieut. Putschareff. The aim is immediately to start to the front and to fight in all respects under the same conditions as men. Scores of girls and women, anxious to fight, appeared yesterday at the offices of the League of Equal Rights for Woman.

The alliance of all Russian commercial, industrial and banking institutions held its first meeting yesterday in Petrograd. After a discussion of the political situation and speeches by the Belgian Minister to Russia and representatives of the French Embassy, it was unanimously resolved to address to the entente allies a declaration rejecting emphatically all possibility of Russia concluding a separate peace. The resolution also expressed confidence in an approaching decisive victory over the Central Powers.

Formal proposals for a separate peace with Russia have been instituted by the Austrian Gen. Rohr. He authorized a delegation from each Austrian division on the front to enter the Russian lines and propose such a compact, it was reported here today. Simultaneously news was received of a delegation of Austrians, including two generals, ten officers and a number of soldiers, who were in Kishineff urging a conference with the workmen and soldiers' council. They were accompanied by a delegation of Russian soldiers. The provisional government here ordered their immediate arrest and delivery in Petrograd.

Wheat has been added to the allies of the entente. Instead of an expected shortage, the harvest will be 656,000,000 bushels compared with 640,000,000 last year, according to the forecast of the Bureau of Crop Estimates of the Department of Agriculture, made public yesterday afternoon. Spring wheat has turned the balance. The yield will be 283,000,000 bushels, compared with only 158,000,000 last year.

Coincident with the arrival in Europe of Major John J. Pershing and his staff, it became known yesterday that plans for a great overseas troop movement are nearing completion at the War Department. The preparations under way contemplate a movement far greater than at first indicated. America will be represented on the battle front by at least 200,000 fighting men before winter, according to the present plans.

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8:47 A. M. Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations, Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte, 10:23 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail, stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop. Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham, Sleeping car Salisbury to Asheville, Coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, Greensboro, and Charlotte.

11:23 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

11:53 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special, Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Annapolis, Birmingham, and Atlanta, Annapolis, Birmingham, Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham, Dining car service, Tourist to California daily.

1:03 P. M.—Daily local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch, Pullman Buffet parlor car.

5:22 P. M. Local for Warrenton.

7:17 P. M. Daily—Augusta Special, Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Alken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Asheville.

10:02 P. M. Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg): First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train Club and Observation cars to New Orleans, Dining car service.

4:27 A. M. Daily—Memphis special, sleeping cars between Washington, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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